Stunned by Lightning.

Eating dinner and holding a baby in killed.

Madison Banker May Run.

Madison, Neb., June 25.-Special to The News: It is persistently rumored that M. C. Garrett, president of the First National bank of Madison, may get into the running for representative on the democratic ticket, influential persons of his party having urged him to do so. When approached on the subject Mr. Garrett said that he was not a candidate but admitted to him.

Children Die of Measies.

West Point, Neb., June 25.-Special to The News: The measles which has been epidemic here in a mild form for some months was rather lightly considered by the families visited with the disease but upon the advent of warm weather those still suffering of this affliction appear to be in greater danger. The 19-year-old son of Albert Neimann of Elkhorn township, died of the disease on Sunday and on yesterday the 7-year-old son or Anton Guether of St. Charles township was interred in the Catholic cemetery. a victim of the same disease. Four smaller children of the county have also succumbed.

FINDER OF WILD PIGEON NEST

Canadian Claims \$1,000 Reward Offered

by Naturalists. Dr. Clifton H. Hodge of Clark university announced the other day that the probable winner of a \$1,000 reward offered for the discovery of the first nest of North American or passenger pigeons in America is C. H. Patience of a town in Ontario, Canada. Dr. Hodge would not reveal the name of the

A telegram has been received from Mr. Patience stating that he had discovered a nest, with a female sitting on it, and Dr. Hodge stated that he would immediately go to Ontario to investigate the claim.

The reward is part of a subscription of \$3,800 by naturalists of the United States and Canada to be used in the work of preventing the extinction of the bird. This particular breed of pigeon was numerous in America up to the early eighties, but since then has been gradually dying out until now the species is very rare.

"Chantecler" Profits.

A French publishing house is said to have received orders for 200,000 to 300,000 copies of its three france fifty centimes edition of "Chantecler," and the weekly L'Illustration is paying M. Rostand for the serial rights thereof a sum which the most conservative reports set at 75,000 francs an act—that is 300,000 francs in all. Furthermore, another publishing house has purchased for a sum which it is safer perhaps not to specify, but which is admitted to be large, the right to issue a de luxe illustrated edition of Rostand's complete works. This edition will appear In seventy weekly installments of twenty pages each. To these emoluments may be added the considerable sum paid for serial rights by a London weekly.

Weeping Animals.

Travelers through the Syrian desert have seen horses weep from thirst. A mule has been seen to cry from the pain of an injured foot, and camels, it is said, shed tears in streams. A cow sold by its mistress, who had tended it from calfhood, wept pitifully. A young soke ape used to cry with vexation if Livingstone didn't nurse it in ing with enthusiastic support from his arms when it asked him to many sources. Along the St. Lawrence Wounded apes have died crying, and river, where during the summer there apes have wept over their young ones is probably more competition among slain by hunters. A chimpanzee train. speed craft of all sorts and classes ed to carry water jugs broke one and than in any other section in America. cried, which proved sorrow, though it wouldn't mend the jug. Rats, discovering their young drowned, have been moved to tears of grief. A giraffe which a huntsman's rifle had injured began to cry when approached. Sea lions often weep over the loss of their young. Gordon Cumming observed tears trickling down the face of a dying elephant. And even an orang outang when deprived of its mango was so vexed that it took to weeping There is little doubt, therefore, that from pain or annoyance.-Harper's Weekly.

The Laborer's Thanks.

and tender feet.

the offender should be ejected at once.

lent clergyman rose from his seat, say ing: "No, no! Let the man sit down and

be quiet." The discomfiture of the party turned to mirth when the drunken one seized

his benefactor by the hand, exclaim-"Thank ye, sir-thank ye. I see you know what it is to be tight!"-London

Commencement Exercises. West Point, Neb., June 25.—Special to The News: Commencement week at St. Joseph's academy at West Point, an institution under the charge of the Franciscan sisterhood, will be signalized by a series of entertain-

ments and festivities. There are two graduates this year from the music her arms, Mrs. W. L. Parker was ren- ano, and Miss Gertrude Bruening, dered unconscious by a lightning ano, and Miss Gertrude Bruening, of shock at her home two and a half mandolin. The graduation will ocmiles west of Norfolk Friday. The cur on June 29, and on June 30 a play baby was not injured. Mrs. Parker and an elaborate musical program will was sitting near a telephone. A small be given at the opera house. Very chicken in a box just back of her was Rev. Dean Ruesing will confer the diplomas on the graduating pupils. The proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted to the maintenance of St. Joseph's home for the aged in this city. Both the graduates are members of prominent families.

ON THE

Klein Writes a New Play.

Charles Klein, the famous author of

'The Lion and the Mouse" and "The

for its production this coming season.

Theatrical Notes.

nati. O., and made her debut on the

stage at Robinson's theater, that city,

John Finley, who has been engaged

by Henry B. Harris for a prominent

part in "Bobby Burnit," which opens

at the Theater Republic, New York

on Monday, August 22, played Am-

its first presentation on any stage,

October 21, 1890, at Proctor's Twenty-

E. Y. Backus, who plays Mr. Apple-

ee and Barnes, a policeman, in "The

heater, New York, April 22, 1895.

More Heavy Rains in Dakota.

Aberdeen, S. D., June 24.-Heavy

rains are reported from Huron, Mitch-

Notes, Etc., Are Exempt.

been increased personally by the as-

Some of the taxpayers in Norfolk

who had given in notes and mortgages,

etc., at face value, to the assessor,

The News came out yesterday, show-

TRADING IN STOCKS IS DULL.

Subsides.

generally firm price movements form-

nancial community.

will display absolute fairness.

certain extent of expenditures for new

the carrying of which depended upon

the receipt of increased income from

the higher tariff rates which are now

subject to review and long postpone-

ment at the hands of the commission.

New York, June 25. - Exceedingly

regarding the matter.

York, on September 26, 1898.

ell. Miller and Mobridge, S. D.

third street theater. New York.

in "Little Lord Fauntleroy."

on December 9, 1896.

GOODWIN AFTER NEW HONORS

Crack Distance Swimmer Will Attempt to Swim English Channel. Great interest has been aroused over the announcement that Bud Goodwin. that the matter had been suggested the crack distance swimmer of the New York Athletic club, intends to attempt to swim the English channel in 1911. This feat has been credited only



to one man, and many contend that it was never accomplished.

Speculation is rife, of course, as to the chances of Goodwin succeeding in his arduous self imposed task, and opinions are fairly divided. Some claim that he is fitted in every way for the long, punishing grind; others claim that his stroke is entirely too rapid in action to be held over the trying jour-

There can be no question that Goodwin has the speed and the endurance to succeed, and, as to his power of resistance to the ravages of a protracted low temperature, all he has to do is allow himself to grow plump to face almost anything. It is only by hard ing that the board of equalization had vation measure has been passed by and constant work that he keeps down raised Norfolk's assessment 25 per- the senate, and will be approved by his weight.

As to his stroke, it can undoubtedly be improved, and it will be. Slower action and a longer run will do it, and Goodwin knows his one weak point. With a whole winter before him to practice indoors under competent coaches he should be able to acquire perfect form, so there is every hope of seeing Uncle Sam get the honors channel swimming.

Motorboat Racing.

The plan of segregating amateurs and professionals in motorboat racing. which is now well under way, is meet-

CHANGES AT BONESTEEL.

Two Councilmanic Seats Declared Va cant and New Members Chosen. Bonesteel, S. D., June 25.-Specia to The News: At the adjourned

meeting of the city council many changes were made and much business transacted. As stated in this correspondence after the election T. J. Thompson left for Winner, Tripp county, to reside. June 7 at the prianimals do cry from grief or weep maries Mr. Thompson voted in Winner while still holding the office of alderman in Bonesteel, affidavits to that effect were submitted to the council Tuesday evening and Mr. A tram car was going down a busy Thompson, who in the meantime had street one day and was already com- returned to Bonesteel and on the 21st fortably full when it was hailed by a voted in Bonesteel at the annual laboring man much the worse for liq school election, was declared unqualiuor, who presently staggered along the fied to hold his office and the office car between two rows of well dressed declared vacant. John Dearinger, who people regardless of polished shoes was elected this spring, failed to qualify in the time prescribed by law Murmurs and complaints arose on all and his seat was also declared vasides, and demands were heard that cant. This proceeding left the board equally divided-two supporting May-But amid the storm of abuse one or Linticum and two opposing. Movfriendly voice was raised as a benevo ed and seconded that W. H. Pine be appointed to fill vacancy caused by removal of T. J. Thompson; vote a tie, mayor voting, Mr. Pine was declared elected. Moved and seconded that John Dearinger be appointed to fill

This power which the commission has to hold up rates for ten months under the terms of the bill is naturalvacancy caused by his failing to ly objectionable to railroad officials but it would seem that the sensible qualify in accordance with the law, election unanimous. Both members view to take of this matter is that the immediately qualified and the board commission will expediate its investigation wherever possible and that I have not had to consult my doctor proceeded with regular business. Saunnecessary delay in arriving at conloon licenses were granted W. A. Peoples, P. M. Maguer, Woods and Cassaway. E. Schneider was appointed city plumber. Bids read for extension of ure of office of those knowingly re- While I keep myself busy, yet I do water main 1,800 feet. Much public sponsible. improvement discussed, about a mile

In the slowing down of trade and to worry me." of sidewalk and crossings decided uputter absence of costly speculation in on, and it is probable the streets will stock or grain markets, there is prom- 'dle of October and will spend consid.' Schroer and Richard Moeller. ise for the fall money markets, unless, erable time at his Virginia home.

indeed, conditions in the west, where many of the banks have extended accommodations to the point of rashness offset favorable factors elsewhere. The test must come when the crop moving demand sets in. If stringency develops at that time it is encouraging to note that the English Third Degree," has written a new play which Henry B. Harris accepted on Monday. Mr. Klein read the play to pared to meet such demands as we Mr. Harris, who immediately arranged may have to make.

Fast Game at Clearwater.

It is a radical departure from this fa-Clearwater, Neb., June 25.-Special mous author's recent efforts, being a comedy pure and simple. The scenes to The News: One of the fastest games of baseball of the season ocare laid in New York, and the characters are types which will be immediately recognized by everyone who is nine and Clearwater on the Clearfamiliar with the typical New Yorker, water diamond. Outside of one rank enue, complimentary to Mrs. A. W. went along all right. Edna Aug, who will play Carrie in Score by innings:

the Chicago company of James Forbes' new comedy, "The Commuters," which Royal...... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 3 0-4 ment was served by the hostess. Mrs. the loss many down town people susopens at the Criterion theater, New York, on Monday, August 15, is a grad-Alberts; Royal, Dunaway and C. Fos- deen on Sunday. uate of Woodward university, Cincin- burg.

Summary: Strike-outs: Smith 8, Dunaway 5; bases on balls, Smith 1, Dunaway 3.

Both teams played fine ball and a large crowd was in attendance,

Taft's Achievement. President Taft's policy of conciliation brose in "The Witch," when it was seen at the Garrick theater, New York is being exemplified very clearly in the last days of the Sixty-first congress. Without the blare of trumpets, Louis Haines, who plays Mr. Colton in James Forbes' comedy, "The Com- the president has accomplished the muters," was the original messenger bulk of his legislative program, and n "Men and Women," when it had regulars and insurgents are now joinment.

There are many persons who thought that President Taft had made a great mistake in outlining so definitely what he hoped to accomplish in the course Commuters," was the original Lane in America in Oscar Wilde's play, "The of the Sixty-first congress. Had he Importance of Being in Earnest," not expressed such great hopes, it was when it was produced at the Empire pointed out, he would have been in a position to claim a victory, even Orrin Johnson, who plays Larry though only a few good laws were Brice in James Forbes' latest comedy enacted.

Periodically it was declared that the success, "The Commuters," was the original George Nepean in Henry Ar- legislative program was hopelessly thur Jones', "The Liars," when it was blocked; that this bill or that bill had produced at the Empire theater, New been dropped overboard, and that congress would pass the railroad bill and adjourn with half the program lost in were leveled against the president for having bitten off more than he could music and readings that came later. chew.

It is now very evident to friends and critics alike that President Taft knew what he was doing. The admin-The increase in Madison county asistration took no chances. The bills sessments does not include bank to which the republican national constock, notes and mortgages that were vention pledged itself were drawn up given in at their face value. Likewise under the supervision of the president there will be no increase on the indi-

vidual whose assessment had already With the exception of the anti-injunction law, every single measure to which Mr. Taft pledged himself will These facts were brought out by inbe passed before the close of the presquiry of a Norfolk man who teleent congress. The railroad bill-adphoned County Clerk S. R. McFarland mitted by insurgents, democrats and regular republicans alike to be one of try-has already been signed by the president. So has the statehood bill, were considerably wrought up when which brings the number of states in the union to forty-eight. The conserthey had given in a note at face value, his signature in a few days.

a 25 percent increase was putting All the bills, so frequently said to more value into the document than have been dropped overboard, have, was there. So they felt relieved when they telephoned and found out that this class of property, when given in at face value, was exempt from the in-He can feel that he has given the re- ladies of that place. publican party a platform of achievement on which it can well afford to stand in the coming campaign. Effect of Injunction Against Railways

RYAN PICKC NEW CASH KINGS

iull stock markets with narrow but Names J. P. Morgan, Jr., and Others

as Coming Money Dynasty. ed ample evidence last week of the New York, June 25 .- Thomas For subsidence or excitement stirred up by tune Ryan, sailing on the Mauretania the government's injunction proceedings against the western railroads. It vous collapse had forced him to go has come to be recognized generally abroad. The multimillionaire traction that with all the preliminary fuss out magnate took occasion before he sailof the way, the future of railroad in- ed to make a forecast of the financial vestments has narrowed down to the future and gave his opinion as to the workings of the "railroad bill," and coming kings of finance who will sucthe pros and cons of this measure, ceed the present dynasty.

therefore, absorbed to a large extent "I firmly believe," he said, "that the interest and attention of the fisuch men as J. Pierpont Morgan, jr., and Henry P. Davidson of the firm of President Ripley of the Atchison J. Pierpont Morgan & Co.; Otto H. continues to represent those who are Kahn and Mortimer L. Schiff of Kahn, worked to the country's roads, but it & Co.; George F. Baker, jr., of the must be said that railroad executives | First National bank, and James Stillof his way of thinking are either con- man, jr., of the National City bank may tent to await hopefully the outcome be relied upon to take care of the or feel assured that in its construction great banking and financial interests of the terms of the new bill and its which lie at the foundation of Ameriresultant dealings with the railways can business. I look upon these as the interstate commerce commission the ablest men of their time in any of the great financial centers. Untried as the provisions of the bill

"There are many persons who are are, it is not surprising that conserva- asking who is to be the successor of tism has ruled railroad circles, mak- Mr. Morgan. In my opiion there will ing itself felt in the curtailment to a be none. There has been only one Morgan, and there cannot be a second. construction and new equipment Fortunately these seems to be no reawhere these involved capital outlays, son to become alarmed on this point for years to come. As for the men to whom the interests of New York and the country must look in time of panic or peril in the next generation, there is no occasion to go beyond the younger men now in sight. I have perfect confidence in them."

> Mr. Ryan then was persuaded to talk of his personal affairs.

"Concerning the report that I am on Lynde. verge of collapse from nervous pros tration," he said. "I may say that for four and a half months and I sleep not permit things, either big or little,

SUCIETY

Pleasures of Week. Mrs. A. J. Hoyt of Hayward, Wis. was the guest of honor at a genuine old money market, as evidenced by the fashioned surprise party in the home recent liquidations in discount and in of her neice, Mrs. W. F. Recroft, on those who attended the Norfolk assothe remarkable showing of strength Wednesday afternoon. Thirty old ciation could see the results of his by the bank last week, will be pre- time friends brought their work and work in the excellent manner in which the afternoon was spent in visiting as the public schools of Norfolk enterwell as working. Light refreshments tained the teachers. were served during the afternoon by the self invited guests, who were none themselves short of credits for univerthe less welcome ones.

curred yesterday between the Royal pany of twelve ladies on Wednesday which many are lacking credits. As has accepted the position as secretary afternoon at her home, 1204 Park av- a result of this, Miss Kingsbury's decision by the umpire everything Sar of Aberdeen, S. D. A number of pretty gifts were brought for the guest of honor, who is a bride of a few as well as those of the neighbors. The Clearwater..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 2 x-6 weeks. At 5 o'clock a nice refresh other loss was light when considering Batteries: Clearwater, Smith and Sar will return to her home in Aber- tained.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mathewson and daughter Charlotte and Mrs. Margaret per party in the home of Colonel Cotton Friday evening. The Mathewson mer school. home has been quarantined on account of scarlet fever, and their neighbors Washington Post: The wisdom of and friends congratulate them on the complete recovery of Miss Charlotte

Mrs. L. B. Musselman and Mrs. W. F. Perdue entertained the ladies of college last Friday and Saturday. the neighborhood on Monday afternoon. Light refreshments were served on the lawn. A beautiful spoon was son of American and English schools ing together in praising his achieve- presented to Mrs. C. W. McMasters Mrs. Pile has had a number of invitaas a token of good will. Mr. and Mrs. tions to speak before institutes and McMasters will leave for Denver the summer schools, but her work at the first of July.

> The ladies of the Christian church gave an ice cream social Tuesday eve ning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Pippin, 1200 South Tenth street. The lawn was prettily lighted for the occasion and the guests had a good the treasury.

A general good time was enjoyed by the members of the Sunday school of the First Congregational church on it is still raining today. At Kimball Friday evening. Ice cream was served | two inches of rain fell. the shuffle. All kinds of criticism on the lawn and the guests thoroughly enjoyed an interesting program of

> The Ladies Aid society of Christ Luthern church gave a very successful lawn social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilde on Wednesday evening. The ice cream booth was folk received reports showing rain in well patronized and netted the ladies the western part of the eastern divia nice sum for their work.

> ant evening in giving an ice cream social on the lawn at the home of I. There were showers in the Black Nightingale, Friday evening.

with Mrs. Livingstone at 1204 Phillip He says there was no rain this side of ever. There were six bass varying in

Norfolk friends of Mr. and Mrs. W H. Butterfield will be pleased to know they have started on the journey to that looked like rain. ward home. Mr. and Mrs. Butterfield cent. They pointed out that where the house, going to the president for are now visiting in Los Angeles and expect to reach Norfolk early in July.

> on the contrary, been piloted safely Dorothy Salter and Clair Napper went needed as small grain was already into port, and it would seem that the to Stanton Wednesday afternoon at suffering and pastures and meadows president could take his vacation with which place they are enjoying a week were brown and bare. the consciousness of duty well done, end party given by some of the young

Mrs. George Spear and daughter, rma, leave tonight for Hot Springs, S. D. Mr. Spear will join them at Chadron. After a week's stay at the Springs they will go to Alliance, Crawford and Chadron.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Burnham and Miss Burnham and Mr. and Mrs. S. for Europe, denied the report that ner- M. Braden formed a theater party in Omaha Monday night, where they saw May Robson in "The Rejuvination of

> ter a visit of two months in Larimore, their nephew near Lynch. N. D. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Chris Madsen and children who will spend several weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott will leave the first of the week for a six weeks' certain that irretrievable harm will be Loeb & Co.; John B. Dennis of Blair trip, which will include Montreal, Canada and several places in Wisconsin.

> Misses Victoria and Josephine Maylard spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Madison with their aunt, Mrs. George Davenport.

Mrs. O. L. Hyde and sons returned Thursday evening from several weeks with friends in Minneapolis and Mitch-

Miss Dorothy Salter has been attending a house party in the Chase home in Stanton the past week

Mrs. E. Mittelstadt celebrated her were laid for thirty-two guests.

Mrs. N. A. Rainbolt is expected here tomorrow from a trip to Wisconsin, and St. Paul, Minn.

Mrs. Sarah Shipman of Sioux City, man, is suffering from an injured hand Ia., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. as the result of having it cut while working about an engine at Council

Wayne Normal Notes

Professor Hahn of Blair was a caller at the college last Saturday. Proclusions must prove public sentiment like a baby. I like my new life since fessor Hahn is one of the recently in such fashion as to imperil the ten- I threw off the tyranny of details. elected faculty members of the Wayne appendicitis and is not expected to state normal. The three boys from the public

> school who won the prizes offered by Mr. Ryan will return about the mid- Mrs. Pile were Raymond Fox, Earl This

Fox has won such a prize.

Rev. Mr. Corky made his first visit to the college last Thursday and conducted the morning exercises. His ter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Rees, fell from talk to students and faculty was an

inspiration to all. Professeor Reese Solomon has a big class in vocal music. Professor Solomon is an experienced teacher and

A number of students who found sity or college entrance are here mak ing them up as far as possible. Latin Mrs. A. M. Sar entertained a com- and German seem to be studies in classes are well filled.

worked havoc with the college garden

The summer term opened Tuesday morning with a large enrollment.

A number of the county superin tendents have excused their teachers Johnson were guests at a family sup- from attendance at institute provided they will spend eight weeks in a sum

Pauline Braunger has been elected assistant principal at Emerson. Edith Grenier has been elected at Stuart and to Fremont and will reside here, temalso at Thurston.

Forty-three were taking the examinations for county certificates at the

Mrs. Pile will go to Broken Bow on July 22 where she will give a compart college is such that she felt she could not leave.

Rain on Rosebud.

Dallas, S. D., June 25.-Special to The News: The finest rain of the season is falling over the entire Rose bud country. It has been raining for time. Thirteen dollars was added to more than twelve hours and all crops are saved.

> Aberdeen, S. D., June 25.-An incl of rain fell at Aberdeen last night and

Omaha, June 25 .- It is raining here this morning.

The drouth in spots of northern Nebraska was broken Friday and Friday night, but only in spots. The worth western railroad headquarters at Norsion, there being a heavy downpour between Ainsworth and Inman-tak-The young people of the Baptist ing in O'Neill, Atkinson, Stuart, Newchurch were responsible for a pleas- port. Bassett and Long Pine. A heavy rain is reported also at Scribner. rain, according to H. R. Ward, who The Presbyterian Aid society met returned from that point last night, with a string of the finest black bass Niobrara save a trace, such as fell in Norfolk. Following the forenoon's shower, a trace of rain fell in Norfolk in the evening. Saturday morning dawned hot and sultry, with clouds

Good Rain at Ainsworth.

Ainsworth, Neb., June 25.—Special Mabel Odiorne, Merle Blakeman, came Friday afternoon. It was much

FRIDAY FACTS. Miss Minnie Eike of Pierce was J. M. Campbell went to York on busi

ness. E. P. Weatherby went to Pender on business.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Hanson of Pilger were in the city. Frank Gishpert of Pierce was in the

ity calling on friends. Miss Nellie Graves of Decatur, Ill. enroute to Dallas to visit with relatives, was a visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Mapes are spend-Miss Opal Madsen has returned af- ing a few days fishing on the farm of

J. A. Piper, of the state board of charities and correction on a tour of inspection of the county institutions and poor farms, was in the city.

Dr. C. A. McKim returned from Mc Cook, where in company with Mrs. McKim he visited with friends. Mrs. McKim went to Lincoln to spend few days with relatives.

Mrs. Albert Koeneman and daugh ter, Miss Hertha Koeneman, who have been here for the past six weeks visit ing with relatives and friends, have re turned to their home at St. Paul, Minn. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Royal Uecker,

F. G. Coryell returned from O'Neil and reports a shower at Inman.

J. W. Crabtree of Peru has announced his candidacy for state superinten

W. P. Logan and F. E. Davenport returned at 2 o'clock this morning 71st birthday last Sunday and covers from a successful fishing trip on the Elkhorn.

> who are calling on Norfolk people for subscriptions to the chautauqua, are meeting with great success. F. G. Molander, a Northwestern fire

M. C. Hazen and E. M. Huntington

Bluffs, Ia. Mrs. A. Phillips has gone to Craig. Neb., to which place she was called by telegram today. Her brother, Emory Russell, is suffering from an attack of

Tom Shiveley, a Northwestern engineer, is suffering from a badly bruised face and is burned about the right hand as the result of the chisel box makes the third term that Raymond falling on him while he was under the

engine fixing a rod While playing with several little girl friends, Veda Rees, 6-year-old daugh-

a playhouse which was built in a tree at the T. E. Odiorne residence on West Norfolk avenue and sustained a sprained ankle. H. J. Billerbeck, W. Hernoldt and John Davids of Osmond were in the

city looking over the Norfolk water works system. The Osmond business men were at Tilden and Emerson looking over the water situation with a view of establishing water works at Osmond. W. E. Hotmes, formerty a Norfolk man but recently of Cedar Rapids, Ia.,

has arrived in Sioux City, where he of the Sioux City commercial club. The Sioux City business men are de-The storm last Saturday evening lighted with their new secretary, whom they declare is a "live wire."

Hot coals from the kitchen range at the W. Bohne residence in Edgewater burned a hole in the kitchen floor and started what at first appeared to be a lively blaze. The hook and ladder company of the fire department, however, was soon on the scene and succeeded in putting out the fire in remarkably fast order.

Fremont Tribune: C. J. Lindstrom, agent for the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha road at Maskell, Neb., has shipped his household goods porarily at least. Mr. Lindstrom has been having trouble with his eyes, and the company gave him a six months' respite from his labors.

J. H. Bentley, a land dealer of Sid ney, writes to a Norfolk real estate man telling him it would be impossible for him at this time to make an estimate on the value of some land near Sidney, on account of the exceedingly dry and hot weather. The grain, he says, has all been dried up and until it rains he cannot determine the value of land there.

George R. Desmond returned from Omaha, where he was initiated into the knighthood of the Ak-Sar-Ben. Mr. Desmond reports that about 200 candidates were initiated. While in Omaha Mr. Desmond was about a block from the scene of the automobile accident in which William Krug, the prominent brewer, was killed. The two automobiles, says Mr. Desmond, were badly damaged.

The first week day game of the city baseball league series will be played on the driving park diamond Tuesday evening at 6:30, when the bookkeepers and the Edgewater teams will cross bats in their first game. Sunday's doubleheader, the first games of the series have all been arranged and the committee calling on the business men, who are to offer prizes for the winners, have met with great success.

Although expert fishermen of this city have declared that no black bass exist in the waters of the Elkhorn river, this declaration was disproved Hills. Lynch received a good soaking early this morning when Robert and Norton Howe returned from the river size, the largest weighing abou pounds. Robert Howe visited the Mast block after reaching the city and proudly exhibited his catch to the numerous fishermen of that building.

John Flynn returned Thursday night from Minneapolis, where after investigating new inventions of Charles O. Michaelson, an old friend of Constable o The News: A good soaking rain Flynn purchased five shares in the company which is known as the Eclipse Ore Reduction company. The new inventions consisted of rock breakers, pulverizers, material concentrators and other mining machinery. According to Mr. Flynn, the inventor Michaelson has spent his entire life working on these inventions, which he now says are complete and wonderful.

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